# ACCT Leadership Congress Report by Roger Davis, CCC Board of Governors

The 2020 Leadership Congress was virtual via Zoom.

### **Regional Caucus and ACCT Senate:**

I was a voting delegate from CCC for the Western Region Caucus.

The Caucus and ACCT Senate held elections on Thursday, October 1.

The Western Region Caucus elected a Regional Director to the ACCT Board, a member to the ACCT Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, and five members to the regional Nominations Committee.

The ACCT Senate elected a Director at Large and received reports.

## ACCT Leadership Conference:

The sessions of the conference were held over Monday, October 5 through Thursday, October8. Each day featured five conference one-hour time slots with three concurrent sessions in each slot. I attended the following sessions:

#### Monday, October 5:

- \*The Opening General Session with remarks by Marc Morial, President of the National Urban League
- \* "Oriented for Action: Linking Board Orientation, Retreats, and Evaluations"
- \* "ACCT and AACC Update on Federal Priorities"

#### Tuesday, October 6:

- \* "NJCAA Athletics"
- \* "How Allan Hancock Improved Graduation Rates with Automated Degree Certification"

## Wednesday, October 7:

- \* "The Board and Its Governing Functions: How to be an Effective Trustee"
- \* "Board Retreats as a Strategic Vehicle"

#### Thursday, October 8:

- \* "Institutional Strategic Planning"
- \* "Trustee Transitions"
- \* "Closing Keynote by Amber Angel, Program Coordinator LAVC Family Resource Center"

## Takeaways:

CCC is in line with best practices for Board training, retreats, policy and strategic planning. "Esports" is a new and growing category of student recruitment and program development. Digital certificates and diplomas (via Parchment) growing in conjunction with automatic certification.

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